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SUBJECT: SAHEL FOOD CROP PROTECTION PROJECT

REF: STATE 203996

1. GIVEN DELAY IN SHALLOW SCHEDULE, BELIEVE BEST DEFER VISIT UNTIL AFTER 6 OCTOBER FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

A. RAMADAN BEGINS OR OR ABOUT 6 SEPTEMBER AND ENDS ON OR ABOUT 6 OCTOBER. EFFECTIVE WORK WOULD BE MUCH SIMPLER AFTER RAMADAN.

B. GENERAL RESHUFFLE AND REORGANIZATION OF GIRM HAS RESULTED IN NEW MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT JUST TAKING OFFICE. ENTIRE PROJECT WILL HAVE TO BE DISCUSSED FROM SCRATCH WITH HIM. THIS WOULD BE BEST DONE AFTER HE HAS HAD TIME TO SETTLE INTO OFFICE.

C. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE OUT OF COUNTRY UNTIL END SEPTEMBER AND UPON RETURN MAY BE PROMOTED TO ANOTHER POSITION. DOUBTFUL THAT PROJECT AGREEMENT COULD BE SUCCESSFULLY DEVELOPED WITHOUT HIS PARTICIPATION.

D. FFPO RETURNS FROM LEAVE 6 OCTOBER. CDO WILL BE ON TDY/ABIDJAN FIRST WEEK SEPTEMBER AND IN AID/W LAST TWO WEEKS SEPTEMBER. FFPO ON TDY AID/W 27 OCTOBER OR 4 NOVEMBER.

2. THEREFORE FEEL SHALLOW VISIT WOULD BE BEST WEEK OF 6 OCTOBER.HANDYSIDE
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